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SUBJ: KOREANS IN VIETNAM

1. ACTING MOFA ASIA BUREAU DIRECTOR KONG RO-MYUN TOLD
EMBOFF THAT ROKG HAD LEARNED FROM KOREAN NATIONAL RECENTLY
RETURNED FROM VIETNAM AND NOW IN BANGKOK THAT THREE
INCARCERATED KOREAN GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS WERE IN POOR PHYSICAL
CONDITION. HE SAID INFORMATION HAD SOMEHOW BEEN TRANSMITTED
VIA DOCTORS IN SAIGON JAIL, THAT MINISTER YI TAE-YONG WAS
SUFFERING FROM A LIVER AILMENT AND COULD NOT MOVE AND ONE
OF THE OTHER KOREANS, SO PYONG-MO, WAS SUFFERING FROM HIGH
BLOOD PRESSURE. THE THIRD PRISONER, KIM HI-WON, REPORTEDLY
HAS STOMACH TROUBLE. KONG SAID THE FACT THAT THIS INFORMATION
HAD BEEN ACQUIRED FROM DOCTORS IN JAIL SHOULD NOT BE REVEALED.
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